rural areas, Government of India has launched National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) for which budgetary provision of Rs. 12,050 crore has been made in 2008-09, *inter-alia* which includes provision for treatment of people suffering with water borne diseases. Similarly, to enable the people living in rural areas to have access to safe drinking water, Government of India provides financial assistance to States under Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP), which is major component of Bharat Nirman. Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC) has also been launched to improve the sanitation in rural areas. During 2008-09, budgetary provision of Rs. 7,400 core for rural water supply and Rs. 1.200 crore for sanitation have been made.

To generate awareness about various aspects relating to safe drinking water and enable the rural community to monitor the quality of drinking water, National Rural Drinking Water Quality Monitoring and Surveillance programme has been launched in the year 2006 and so far Rs. 242.53 crore has been released to all the States/UTs for various programme activities *inter-alia* which includes awareness generation, procurement of water testing kits, training of 5 persons in each Gram Panchayat, 5 persons in each Block Panchayat, 4 persons in-each Zila Panchayat and 2 persons at the State level for carrying out water quality monitoring and surveillance activities. As reported by the States/UTs so far, 2,46,200 persons have been imparted training under the programme.

Implementation of rural development schemes in Rajasthan

989. DR. GYAN PRAKASH PILANIA: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of implementation of various rural development schemes in Rajasthan during the last three years;

(b) the amount allocated/spent and balance left under each of the above mentioned schemes, till date; and

(c) the success rate of each scheme in Rajasthan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYAKANTA PATIL): (a) Ministry of Rural Development implemented the major programmes of National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (NRGEA), Sampoorna Gramin Rozgar Yojana (SGRY), Swaranjayanti Gram Swarojgar Yojana (SGSY), Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY), Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY), Integrated Watershed Management Programmes (IWMP), Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) and Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC) etc. in the State of Rajasthan during the last three years *i.e.* 2005-06, 2006-07 and 2007-08.

(b) and (c) The central allocation, utilization and balance left under the major schemes during the last three years *i.e.* 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08 and the current year 2008-09 (upto January, 2009) is given in the Statement.

Statement

Details of amount allocated/spent and balance left under major schemes of Rural Development for the last three years 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08 and current year 2008-09 (upto January, 2009)

		Financial (Rs. in lakhs)				Physical
Fin year	Scheme	Central allocation	Utilisation	Balance	Achievement	Unit
2005-09	SGRY	37938.19	54505.84	19903.74	447.23	Employment Generated (in lac Persondays)
	SGSY	17654.94	19203.00	6856.46	152038	Total Swarozgari Assisted (in No.)
	NREGA	*604477.97	630550.15	98686.20	5990.96	Employment Generated (in lac Persondays)
	PMGSY	92600.00	430086.00	78717.00	37260.97	Length of Road Works (km.)
	IAY	39071.92	38503.91	18698.48	134122	No. of Houses (Unit in No.)
	ARWSP	243208.68	224717.72	99848.01	42458	Habitation covered (Unit in No.)
	TOTAL	1551587.64	1630621.05	316983.81		

Utilisation is out of available funds.

*NREGA is demand based, amount shown is released.

Watershed development projects in Rajasthan

990. DR. GYAN PRAKASH PILANIA: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of watershed development projects launched in Rajasthan, as on date, under Integrated Wasteland Development Programme (IWDP); Drought Prone Areas Programme (DPAP); and Desert Development Programme (DDP) since 1995; programme-wise, separately;

(b) the details of total release of funds between 1995-2009 alongwith utilization thereof, programme-wise;

(c) the details of the monitoring system at the level of the Ministry to ensure proper implementation; and

(d) the achievement made thereof, programme-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU): (a) Since 1995, a total number of 8775 watershed projects have been sanctioned in Rajasthan (90 project under IWDP, 1107 under DPAP and 7578 under DDP).